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AMENDMENT IN RCE AND REPLY TO FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action (Final Rejection) mailed from the Patent Office on July 13, 2005. Applicant requests non-entry of the unentered amendment filed on September 6, 2005.

Favorable reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the Amendments to the Claims beginning on page 2, and the Remarks beginning on page 6.